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SUBJECT: ORIENTATION TRIP--DR. ROBERT H. KUPPERMAN

JOINT STATE/DEFENSE MESSAGE

1. DR. ROBERT H. KUPPERMAN, DEPUTY ASSISTANT DIRECTOR,
MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, ACDA PLANS TO VISIT EUROPE
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10-18 SEPT. PURPOSE IS FAMILIARIZATION WITH APPROPRIATE

COUNTERPARTS, PRIMARILY US OFFICIALS CONCERN WITH MBFR PREPARATIONS, SECURITY CLEARANCE COSMIC TS. PROPOSE FOLLOWING TENTATIVE ITINERARY SUBJECT TO ADDRESSEE CONCURRENCE AND SUGGESTIONS.

2. FOR USNATO: 10 SEPT., ARRIVE BRUSSELS: SUGGEST COURTESY CALLS AND/OR MEETINGS WITH AMBASSADOR RUMSFELD (IF POSSIBLE), DCM, POLITICAL ADVISOR, DEFENSE ADVISOR, BGENERAL BOWMAN, ASYG TUCKER. AT SHAPE, SUGGEST MEETINGS WITH POLAD AND STAFF BRIEFING ON SHAPE MISSION, ORGANIZATION AND CAPABILITIES, AND STC FUNCTIONS AND CAPABILITIES.

3. FOR USAF: WOULD APPRECIATE TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE IF AVAILABLE TO USAF HEADQUARTERS RAMSTEIN, GERMANY AFTERNOON OF SEPT. 12- IF CONVENIENT FOR SEPT. 13, WOULD APPRECIATE MEETING WITH POLAD AND, AS APPROPRIATE, BRIEFING ON USAF MISSION INCLUDING CURRENT FORCES AND CAPABILITIES PLANNED REINFORCEMENT CAPABILITIES, AND THEATRE NUCLEAR CAPABILITIES. IF TIME PERMITS SUGGEST VISIT TO F-4 SQUADRON.

4. FOR USAREUR: DR. KUPPERMAN WOULD APPRECIATE TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE IF AVAILABLE TO HQ. USAREUR EVENING OF SEPTEMBER 13. FOR SEPTEMBER 14, PROPOSE CALL ON POLAD, AND SUGGEST ORIENTATION AND/OR COMMAND BRIEFING ON TOPICS SUGGESTED FOR USAF. IF TIME PERMITS, VISIT TO TASCAM PREPOSITIONED EQUIPMENT STORAGE AREA WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

5. FOR LONDON: DR. KUPPERMAN INTENDS TO TRAVEL LONDON BY COMMERCIAL AIR FROM FRANKFURT SEPTEMBER 14 OR 15 AND WILL NOTIFY EMBASSY LONDON OF TIME OF ARRIVAL. WOULD LIKE TO CALL ON GENERAL RICHARD LLOYD AT FCO, SEPTEMBER 17 AND WOULD APPRECIATE CONSULTATIONS AT DOAE SAME DAY, IF POSSIBLE.

6. WOULD APPRECIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS BRUSSELS 10-11 SEPTEMBER; ACCOMMODATIONS AT USAF 12 SEPTEMBER AND USAREUR 13-14 SEPTEMBER; HOTEL RESERVATIONS LONDON 15-17 SEPT. PLEASE CONFIRM RESERVATIONS, TRANSPORTATION AVAILABILITY AND WHETHER AND/OR HOW DR. KUPPERMAN WILL BE MET. ROGERS

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